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James R. Spencer

Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1949

Education: Clark Atlanta 1971 BA; Harvard 1974 JD; Howard U 1985 MDiv
 Began Service: 1986

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Academic: Adjunct Professor of Law, University of Virginia (1987)

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Virginia,
 Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice
 (1978); Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Virginia,
 Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice
 (1983)

Legal Practice: Staff Attorney, Atlanta Legal Aid Society (1974-1975)

Military Service: United States Army (1975-1978); United States Army
 Reserve (1981-1986)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The Bar Association of
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Rebecca Beach Smith

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1949

Education: William & Mary 1971 BA; Virginia 1973 MA;
 William & Mary 1979 JD

Began Service: 1989

Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern
 District of Virginia (1985-1989)

Legal Practice: Attorney, Willcox & Savage, P.C. (1980-1985)

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Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Federal Bar
 Association; Fourth Circuit Judicial Conference; The Supreme Court
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Robert E. Payne

Senior District Judge

Date of Birth: 1941

Education: Washington and Lee 1963 BA, 1967 LLB

Began Service: May 28, 1992

Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Judicial: District Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District
 of Virginia (1992-2007)

Legal Practice: Attorney, McGuire, Woods, Battle & Boothe LLP
 (1971-1992)

Military Service: United States Army (1967-1971)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Richmond Bar
 Association; Virginia Association of Defense Attorneys; The Virginia Bar
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Leonie M. Brinkema

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944

Education: Rutgers 1966 BA, 1970 MLS; Cornell 1976 JD

Began Service: October 21, 1993

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Virginia,
 Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice
 (1977-1983); Trial Attorney, Office of International Affairs, United States
 Department of Justice (1983-1984)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern
 District of Virginia (1985-1993)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1984-1985)

Current Memberships: Alexandria Bar Association; Virginia State Bar;
 Virginia Women Attorneys Association

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 Began Service: August 2007

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Began Service: September 2007

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Raymond A. Jackson

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1949

Education: Norfolk State 1970 BA; Virginia 1973 JD

Began Service: 1993

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Adjunct Faculty, Marshall-Wythe School of Law, College of
 William & Mary (1984-1993)

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Virginia,
 Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice
 (1977-1993)

Legal Practice: Captain, Judge Advocate General's Corp United States
 Army (1973-1977)

Military Service: United States Army (1973-1977); Colonel, United States
 Army Reserve

Current Memberships: The l'Anson-Hoffman American Inn of Court;
 Norfolk-Portsmouth Bar Association; Old Dominion Bar Association; South
 Hampton Roads Bar Association; United States District Judges Association;
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Education: Norfolk State 1974 BS

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Jerome B. Friedman

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1943

Education: Old Dominion 1965 BS; Wake Forest 1968 JD

Began Service: November 25, 1997

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Corporate: Assistant Trust Officer, First Union National Bank (1969-1970)

Judicial: Judge, Virginia Beach Juvenile & Domestic Relations District
 Court (1985-1991); Judge, Virginia Beach Circuit Court (1991-1997)

Legal Practice: Associate, Steingold & Steingold (1970-1971); Associate,
 Shapero, Levine & Abraham (1971); Associate, Shapero & Levine (1971);
 Partner, Shapero, Levine & Friedman (1972-1974); Partner, Levine &
 Friedman (1974-1982); Partner, Pender & Coward (1983-1985)

Current Memberships: Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges
 Association; The Virginia Bar Association; Virginia State Bar

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Education: William & Mary 2006 JD

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Began Service: 2007

Education: Richmond 2007 JD

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Gerald Bruce Lee

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1952

Education: American U 1973 BA, 1976 JD

Began Service: October 9, 1998

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Adjunct Professorial Lecturer, American University College of
 Continuing Education (1974-1978)

Government: Virginia Appointee, Metropolitan Washington Airports
 Authority (1990-1992)

Judicial: Judge, Virginia Circuit Court, 19th Judicial Circuit (1992-1998)

Legal Practice: Associate, Wiggs & Holland (1976-1977);
 Attorney/Partner, Wiggs & Lee (1977-1978); Attorney/Partner, Wiggs
 Lee & McClerkin (1978-1980); Law Offices of Gerald Bruce Lee
 (1980-1983); Attorney/Partner, Lee & Finch (1983-1985); Law Offices of
 Gerald Bruce Lee & Associates (1985-1986); Attorney/Principal, Cohen,
 Dunn & Sinclair, P.C. (1986-1992)

Current Memberships: Alexandria Bar Association; American Bar
 Association; The George Mason American Inn of Court, The American Inns
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Henry E. Hudson

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1947

Education: American U 1969 BA, 1974 JD

Began Service: September 3, 2002

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Government: Assistant Commonwealth Attorney, Office of the
 Commonwealth Attorney, County of Arlington, Virginia (1974-1979);
 Assistant U.S. Attorney, Eastern District of Virginia, United States
 Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice (1978-1979);
 Commonwealth Attorney, Office of the Commonwealth Attorney, County
 of Arlington, Virginia (1980-1986); U.S. Attorney, Eastern District of
 Virginia, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of
 Justice (1986-1991); Director, United States Marshal Service, United
 States Department of Justice, George H.W. Bush Administration
 (1992-1993)

Judicial: Judge, Fairfax County Circuit Court (1998-2002)

Legal Practice: Counsel, Reed Smith Shaw & McClay LLP (1991-1992);
 Of Counsel, Mays & Valentine (1993-1995); Of Counsel, Reed Smith
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Began Service: August 2007

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